

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE: :  
GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS :  
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Grand Jury Room No. 2  
United States District Court  
for the District of Columbia  
3rd & Constitution, N.W.  
Washington, D.C.

Thursday, July 23, 1998

The testimony of LARRY L. COCKELL was taken in the  
presence of a full quorum of Grand Jury 97-5, impaneled on  
December 5, 1997, commencing at 3:31 p.m. before:

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1 Q And the court reporter is to your right. And the  
2 rest of the ladies and gentlemen in this room are grand  
3 jurors. To my left are the foreperson and the deputy  
4 foreperson of the grand jury.

5 A Good afternoon.

6 JURORS: Good afternoon.

7 BY MR. SUSANIN:

8 Q As you know, sir, we are going to ask you some  
9 questions before the grand jury this afternoon, and I briefly  
10 want to start by reviewing some rights and responsibilities  
11 that you have as a witness testifying in front of the ladies  
12 and gentlemen today. Okay?

13 A Yes, sir.

14 Q The first thing I'm going to ask you to do is make  
15 sure you give us a verbal answer, so that the court reporter  
16 can take everything down. Do you understand, sir?

17 A Yes, I do.

18 Q You have the right to counsel. Specifically, you  
19 do not have the right to have counsel in the grand jury room  
20 with you. However, you can stop, should you need to any  
21 time. You can just let me know, and you can step outside and  
22 consult with counsel. Do you understand that?

23 A Yes, I understand.

24 Q And do you have counsel outside with you today?

25 A Yes, I do.

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2 Whereupon,

3 LARRY L. COCKELL

4 was recalled as a witness and, having been previously duly  
5 sworn by the Foreperson of the Grand Jury, was examined  
6 further and testified as follows:

7 EXAMINATION

8 BY MR. SUSANIN:

9 Q Good afternoon, sir.

10 A Good afternoon.

11 Q Could you please state your full name for the  
12 record, spelling your last name?

13 A Larry L. Cockell, C-o-c-k-e-l-l.

14 Q And, sir, you are a special agent with the Secret  
15 Service; is that correct?

16 A That is correct.

17 Q Special Agent Cockell, we're going to try to move  
18 things along, given the hour of day. But, nevertheless, I  
19 still want to take a minute to introduce you to everyone in  
20 the room.

21 My name is Timothy Susanin, and we just met  
22 outside. I'm an associate independent counsel with the  
23 Independent Counsel's Office.

24 I have my colleague, Jackie Bennett, to my right.

25 A Mr. Bennett.

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1 Q Okay. And who is that?

2 A John Kotelly, K-o-t-e-l-l-y.

3 Q And is that an agency attorney, or is a personal  
4 attorney?

5 A He is private counsel.

6 Q He is your private counsel? And do you have any  
7 attorneys from the Secret Service with you today?

8 A Yes, I do.

9 Q What are their names, sir?

10 A Tom Doherty and Matthew Dates.

11 Q Any others from the Secret Service?

12 A No.

13 Q And do you have any Justice Department attorneys  
14 with you today?

15 A Yes, I do.

16 Q What is his or her name, or their names?

17 A Ann Wiseman.

18 Q Any others?

19 A No, sir.

20 Q You also have an obligation today to tell the  
21 truth. You understand you are under oath; is that correct?

22 A Yes, I do.

23 Q You have an obligation to testify truthfully, which  
24 means you can't lie to the grand jury or mislead them or, in  
25 any other way, indicate to them that you don't remember